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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MICHELE SNOW, Individually and On Behalf Of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs.

- against -

DOUBLEDAY, a division of RANDOM HOUSE, INC.; BANTAM DOUBLEDAY DELL PUBLISHING GROUP: : RANDOM HOUSE, INC.; ANCHOR BOOKS, a division: of RANDOM HOUSE, INC.; JAMES FREY,

Defendants.

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STIPULATION AND ORDER

WHEREAS, the above-captioned action is one of eleven actions pending in federal courts across the country that arises out of the publishing and marketing of the book "A Million Little Pieces" (the "Book"), written by defendant James Frey (the "AMLP Actions") and that on February 23, 2006 defendant Random House, Inc. ("Random House") filed with the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation ("JPML") a motion to transfer and consolidate the AMLP Actions for coordinated pretrial proceedings (the "MDL Motion");

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the parties through their undersigned counsel, that in light of the MDL Motion and in order to preserve the resources of the Court and litigants and avoid inconsistent pretrial rulings in the AMLP Actions, all

<sup>1</sup> In addition to defendants Random House and James Frey, the complaint purports to name as defendants "Doubleday, a division of Random House, Inc.", "Bantam Doubleday Dell Publishing Group" and "Anchor Books, a division of Random House, Inc.", none of which are separate corporate entities. Doubleday, Bantam Doubleday Dell Publishing Group and Anchor Books are divisions of Random House, Inc. Defendant Random House will move at the appropriate time to have these alleged parties dismissed from the action.

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MDL Motion.

Dated: New York, New York March 3, 2006

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IT IS SO ORDERED:

States District Judge

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